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FOR S/PRS; DEPARTMENT PASS NSC FOR DR. BRZEZINSKI AND
WHITE HOUSE FOR MR. POWELL; USIA FOR IPS PE, IEU

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SUBJECT: SECVISIT: SECRETARY VANCE'S ARRIVAL REMARKS
AT LONDON AIRPORT, MARCH 31, 1977
QUESTION: COULD YOU TELL US WHAT YOU WILL BE DISCUSSING?

VANCE: YES, I WILL BE DISCUSSING A NUMBER OF MATTERS
WITH THE BRITISH LEADERS. I AM PRINCIPALLY GOING TO
REPORT ON MY RECENT VISIT TO MOSCOW AND REVIEW WITH
THEM THE VARIOUS SUBJECTS THAT WE DISCUSSED THERE. WE
WILL ALSO BE GOING OVER SOME OTHER SUBJECTS OF MUTUAL
INTEREST INCLUDING SOUTHERN AFRICA, THE MIDDLE EAST AND
MATTERS LIKE THAT.

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Q: ARE YOU DISAPPOINTED. SIR, THAT THINGS DIDN'T TURN
OUT QUITE THE WAY YOU MIGHT HAVE WISHED IN MOSCOW?

VANCE: YES, AS I SAID BEFORE, I WAS DISAPPOINTED THAT
WE COULDN'T MAKE MORE PROGRESS ON THE STRATEGIC ARMS
TALKS, BUT AS I INDICATED WE ARE GOING TO CONTINUE TO

WORK ON THE MATTER. MR. GROMYKO AND I WILL BE MEETING
AGAIN IN MAY IN GENEVA.

Q: ARE YOU EXPECTING ANY NEW INITIATIVE ON RHODESIA,
SIR?

VANCE: I DON'T KNOW. WE WILL BE TALKING ABOUT THE
RHODESIAN QUESTION WITH MR. OWEN AND WITH THE PRIME
MINISTER. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
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